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Issues certain procedure with regard to the exhibition of extra statutory remissions of and abandonment of claims to Revenue in the Appropriation Accounts.

NO. FL. (B). 9093-9193—BUD. 35-52-2, DATED BANGALORE, THE 5TH NOVEMBER 1952.

CIRCULAR.

Exhibition of extra statutory remissions of and abandonment of claims to Revenue in the Appropriation Accounts.

Statements of remissions of and abandonment of claims to revenue are required to be sent to the Accountant-General, Mysore, with a view to their being included in the Appropriation Accounts of the Government. The following procedure is laid down in this regard for the guidance of Heads of Departments and Local Administrations :—

(i) The statements should show the remissions of revenue and abandonment of claims to revenue sanctioned during the preceding year by competent authorities in exercise of the discretionary powers vested in them otherwise than by Law or Rule having the force of Law. For inclusion in these statements, remissions and abandonments should be classified broadly with reference to the grounds on which they were sanctioned and a total figure should be given for each class. A brief explanation of the circumstances leading to the remission should be added in the case of each class.

(ii) Subject to any general or special order issued by Government, individual remissions below Rs. 100 need not be included in the statements.

(iii) The statements for the year 1951-52 may be prepared on these lines and forwarded to the Accountant-General, Mysore, before the 15th November 1952. The statements for the succeeding years should be arranged to be sent to the Audit Office before the 1st June of the next financial year.

M. SHAMANNA,
Secretary to Government,
Finance Department.

Regulates the grant of High Price and Dearness Allowance on tenures held prior to 1st April 1952.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

ORDER NO. FL. (B) 9231-330—C.R. 8-52-4, DATED BANGALORE, THE 7TH NOVEMBER 1952.

Prior to the amendment of the rules in the Mysore Service Regulations as per Government Order No. Fl. (B) 6194-6274—C. R. 3-51-2,dated the 10th March 1952, the rates of High Price Allowance were being calculated on the basis of temporary, *sub pro tem* and provisionally permanent pay in respect of officers drawing above Rs. 150.

In regard to the grant of High Price Allowance, the allowance is to be based after 1st April 1952 only on the permanent and provisionally permanent pay of the officers. Officers drawing higher rates of High Price Allowance prior to 1st April 1952 based on the tenures then existing (including *sub pro tem*) may, however, be

allowed to draw the higher rates of High Price Allowance they were drawing prior to 1st April 1952 in whatever tenure they may be fixed after 1st April 1952.

In respect of Dearness Allowance the rules in force prior to 1st April 1952 will continue.

M. SHAMANNA,
Secretary to Government,
Finance Department.

Directs verification of the Dates of Birth of Gazetted Officers by the Heads of Departments.

CIRCULAR.

ORDER NO. FL. (B). 9352-451—C.R. 40-52-2, DATED BANGALORE, THE 7TH NOVEMBER 1952.

According to note 1 of paragraph 27 (*a*) of the Annexure to the Mysore Civil Account Code, Volume I, in the case of Gazetted Officers the evidence of date of birth should be furnished to the Comptroller (now the Accountant-General, Mysore).

In the new set up as the Accountant-General is not required to undertake the work of verification of the documentary evidence in support of the date of birth of a Gazetted Officer, Note 1 of paragraph 27 (*a*) of the Annexure to the Mysore Civil Account Code, Volume I, is deleted.

In future, the work of verification of the dates of birth of Gazetted Officers also may be done by the Heads of Departments, and for purposes of audit, it is sufficient that the dates of birth of officers directly recruited to the State Services are communicated to the Accountant-General, Mysore, by Government in the Administrative Department concerned.

M. SHAMANNA,
Secretary to Government,
Finance Department.

Records the report of the Revenue Commissioner on the working of the Treasuries in the State for the year 1951-52 with certain observations.

READ—

Letter No. C. 1095—52-53, dated the 28th October 1952, from the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore, forwarding the Annual Report on the working of the Treasuries in the State for the year 1951-52, received from the Accountant-General, Mysore, Bangalore.

ORDER NO. FL. (B) 9823-33—B. & T. 30-52-2, DATED BANGALORE, THE 26TH NOVEMBER 1952.

Recorded.

2. It is seen from the report that there was abnormal delay in the submission of lists of payments and cash accounts relating to State and Central transactions by the treasuries to the office of the Accountant-General. In order to enable the District Treasuries to send the monthly accounts punctually on the due dates to the Accountant-General, the following changes in the Treasury Procedure were introduced with effect from October 1951 :—

1. Inclusion of Taluk Treasury transactions of 26th and onwards in the District Treasury accounts of the following month except in March ;
2. Incorporation of Taluk Treasury transactions in the accounts of the District Treasury daily.

As a result of this new procedure it is expected that there will not be such delays in the submission of the accounts by the treasuries. The Revenue Com-